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Laporte County Ordinance number 97- //

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING AND CONTROLLING SPEED LIMITS ON **COUNTY ROAD 450 NORTH IN CENTER TOWNSHIP** BETWEEN COUNTY ROAD 600 WEST AND COUNTY ROAD 525 WEST

IT HAS COME TO THE ATTENTION OF THE Laporte County Board of Commissioners that:

WHEREAS, at a LaPorte County Plan Commission meeting County residents expressed concern that a hill obstructed vision on County Road 450 North between County Road 600 West and County Road 525 West.

WHEREAS the County Highway Engineer has determined that the hill does, in fact, restrict sight lines.

WHEREAS, the County Highway Engineer has informed the Board of Commissioners that a safe stopping distance at this location is 239 feet which would correspond to a speed limit of 30 Miles Per Hour. The existing speed limit in this location is 55 Mile Per Hour which would require 560 feet of sight distance for a safe stop.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners have reviewed the request.

525 West "

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF LAPORTE COUNTY, INDIANA THAT:

The County Code Chapter 7 Article 1 (Speed Limit Designations) Section 7-5 (Thirty (30) Miles per Hour) Paragraph 51 now reserved shall be and it hereby is as follows:

> "51. On County Road 450 North in Center Township between County

Road 600 West and County Road

EXAMINED AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF LAPOR

DATE

Auditor INDIANA

LAPORTE COUNTY,

TO'd

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect beginning the 15th day of July

1997, and after its enactment and publication as prescribed by law

ATTEST:

KENNETH LAYTON Auditor

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

LAY TURNER, President

RICHARD I KRUSE, Vice-President

Dated: 15 497

HI. "BUD" KINTZELE, Member

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